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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM OF PROVIDING MULTI-USER ACCESS TO A PACKET SWITCHED NETWORK

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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|---|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|------|----------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS  | 25                               | MINUS | 27                            | 0                           | \$18 | \$ 0.00        |
| INDEP. CLAIMS   | 5                                | MINUS | 5                             | 0                           | \$86 | \$ 0.00        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>June 17, 2004</u> to and through <u>August 17, 2004</u> , for an extension of: |                                  |       |                               |                             |      | \$ 0.00        |
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27.

No additional fee is required.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 13-2491, including any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17

Respectfully submitted,

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